

JOHN L. BEGINS HIS TRAINING.

Muldoon Has Agreed to Have Him Ready for the Ring in Six Months.

Expects to Work Down to 190 Pounds and Will Then Retrieve His Reputation.

Says He Is Sure of Arranging a Meeting with Fitzsimmons—His Idols to Earn Enough Money to Retire on.

Muldoon's Residence, White Plains, June 23. Editor New York Journal: I have come here for the purpose of going into training with the view of fighting Bob Fitzsimmons for the championship of the world.

posed to do it. But I need money, like all men who have thrown it around, and I have decided to fight for it. Now about this three-drinking I am accused of. I think the statements are a little overdone. I have not consumed a



"Hello, John." "Hello, Bill." Then John L. Sullivan, the immortal fighter of men who at one time met all comers and never refused a challenge, tumbled from his carriage and warmly

the tenth of the liquor credited to me. If I had I would be dead. There, again, there is the orange gag. A doctor told me once that I was as old as the rocks and I never felt old in my life, and I am not old. A man only thirty-eight is still in his prime, and a man who is old is old in the eyes of the world.

Not a Talking Pugilist. "Yes, Bill," he continued, puffing his 250 pounds comfortably. "I am in to fight again. And mean it. You know I have never been a talking pugilist, have I? Well, I guess not, and what's more I intend to show the public that I am just as good a man to do as I have ever been."

COLGATE HOYT'S YAWL. She is the First Boat of This Rig to Which Auxiliary Power Has Been Applied. The new auxiliary steel yawl Tide, owned by Colgate Hoyt, of Oyster Bay and designed by Gardner & Cox, of this city, was launched from T. S. Marvel's shipyard at Newburg, N. Y., yesterday.

Can Get Into Condition. "Boxing and fielding are two different things and are classed under the head of Queensberry and London rules. There is no doubt about your being capable of getting into condition any more than there is about your ability to fight."

Cycling Notes. The Scholastic Wheelmen will hold a race meet at Morristown, N. J., on July 5. A new organization, called the Victorian Cycle Club, has been formed. The following officers have been elected: President, S. Schoenauer; vice-president, E. Frankenstein; treasurer, A. T. Toller; recording secretary, D. M. Schomauer; captain, Ed. Peterson; first lieutenant, George Walker; second lieutenant, S. Maren; and secretary, J. H. H. H.

TENNIS CRACKS IN FORM.

George Wrenn and S. C. Millett Prove a Strong Pair in the West Side Club's Tourney.

The Metropolitan championship lawn tennis tournament was continued yesterday afternoon on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club, eighty-ninth street and Central Park West. The features of the day were the two double matches, in which the cracks participated. It was George Wrenn's first appearance this season, and although the champion's brother showed lack of practice, his brilliant strokes of last year were very much in evidence. Millett also played his usual clever game, while Fischer and Parker completely outclassed their opponents.

GILLIES UNDER THE BAN. He Was Suspected of Crooked Work at Franklin Park, and Officials Substituted Another Driver.

Saugus, Mass., June 23.—Two races were on the card at Franklin Park this afternoon. The 2:40 trot was won easily in three straight heats by Tennaholm, and Baby Strathmore would have cleaned up the 2:15 race in the same quiet order had not the third heat been declared off for suspected crooked driving.



John L. Sullivan at his Training Quarters.

FOR THE KAISER'S CUP. Thirteen British Yachts Start for Emperor William's Trophy in a Race from Dover to Heligoland. Dover, England, June 23.—Thirteen yachts started from here to-day in a race from Dover to Heligoland for the German Emperor's Cup, presented by Emperor William II. in commemoration of the sixtieth year of the reign of Queen Victoria.

BALD'S WIN WAS A LUCKY ONE.

Frank Butler Had the Race at His Mercy, but Swung Very Wide.

N. Y. A. C. RIDERS DO WELL.

Powell and Dawson Each Got a First Prize at the State Meet at Troy.

By A. G. Batchelder. Troy, N. Y., June 23.—Bald squeezed through at the pole this afternoon, and the mile open came his way by a margin that measured scarcely a foot. Had Frank Butler, who held the pole, not swung out, Bald would have been forced to finish at the rear and in a moneyless position, for both Tittus and McFarland, on the outside, were lapped on the second rider's wheel. Butler caught the pace-maker at the start, with Bald in second, and when the pace-maker dropped out Butler started a long sprint, which would have been a winner had he not left room enough for Bald to come through at the pole.

EXPERT WHIST PLAYERS. Brooklyn's Champion Team Defeats the Park Club, of Plainfield, by 13 to 5.

Local whist experts are preparing for the big tournament at the silent game which takes place next month at Put-

WOMEN'S CHESS TOURNEY.

First International Contest of This Kind Was Commenced in London Yesterday.

London, June 23.—The international chess congress for women players, which was commenced to-day in the Masonic Hall of the Hotel Cecil, is the first of its kind in the history of chess. Twenty ladies, representing nine different countries, and selected from a long list of applicants for places, are contesting for international honors and money prizes aggregating \$1,100. The players making the best scores will win the money, and the winner of the most brilliant game will receive a special prize of \$100, offered by Baron Albert de Rothschild, of Vienna.

BRILLIANT POLO BY BOTH TEAMS. Philadelphia Country Club Won by a Very Narrow Margin.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 23.—The polo game between the Philadelphia Country Club's first team and the Rockaway's second, in the second day's play for the Morrill challenge cups here to-day, was a rattler. Both teams were in the pink of condition and the play was superior to that in any game here this season. After two hours of the hardest kind of work the Country Club, with an allowance of ten goals, won by the narrow margin of three-quarters of a goal, the score being 11% to 11.

LOST BY SEVEN WICKETS. Philadelphia Cricketers Meet with Another Reverse, This Time at the Hands of Middlesex.

London, June 23.—The cricket match between the gentlemen of Philadelphia and Middlesex was continued at Lords to-day. On Monday each side had completed six innings, Middlesex making 234 and Philadelphia 117.

THE BALD-KISER-COOPER RACE. It is now certain that the much-talked-of match race between Bald, Cooper and Kiser will take place at Philadelphia on Saturday.

CONY ISLAND JOCKEY CLUB. SHEEPSHEAD BAY. JUNE MEETING, 1897. June 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, July 3, 5, 7, 8 and 10 (RAIN OR SHINE). FIRST RACE 2:30 P. M. CLOSING ON MONDAY.

MR. S. FRANKLIN BROOKE. Personally attends every meeting on which he advises, and sends his wires direct from the track. Tuesday's good thing was OLNEY, via 11-10, and on Tuesday, our Specials all won. Address S. FRANKLIN BROOKE, Sheephead Bay, L. I.

Rockaways Had to Submit to Defeat by Three-quarters of a Goal.

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For a New 24-Hour Record. An attempt will be made on Sunday to lower the 24-hour road record, made over the Elizabeth, N. J., track, two weeks ago by Edwards of the Century Wheelmen.

Lawn Tennis in Philadelphia. Philadelphia, June 23.—There were but four matches played in the State tennis championship to-day. There was a good attendance, however, and some good tennis was seen.

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